

ANNUAL REPORTS

of the town of

HAMPTON FALLS

NEW HAMPSHIRE

For The Year Ending December 31

1947

As Compiled By The Town Officers

ANNUAL REPORTS

of the

SELECTMEN, TOWN TREASURER, TOWN CLERK

AND SCHOOL BOARD

of the town of

Hampton Falls

NEW HAMPSHIRE

For the Year Ending December 31

1947

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TOWN OFFICERS

TOWN CLERK

James H. Brown

SELECTMEN

Wallace H. Batchelder

William W. Marston

James H. Thurlow

TOWN TREASURER

Louis B. Janvrin

COLLECTOR OF TAXES

Elsie M. Cannon

SCHOOL BOARD

Michael Laughlin

Elizabeth Wall

Elizabeth Merrill

TOWN AUDITORS

Forrest B. Creighton

James H. Page

H. Earl Osborne

MODERATOR

James H. Thurlow

SUPERVISORS OF THE CHECKLIST

William I. Felch

James H. Creighton

Walter A. Ladd

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Louis B. Janvrin

Term expires 1948

Walter W. Coombs

Term expires 1949

Arthur W. Brown

Term expires 1950

TRUSTEES OF LIBRARY

Frances Healey

Term expires 1948

James H. Brown

Term expires 1949

Bertram T. Janvrin

Term expires 1950

Arthur W. Brown

Term expires 1951

Pauline H. Boynton

Term expires 1952

Helen F. Batchelder

Term expires 1953

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

(L. S.)

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Hampton Falls in the County of Rockingham in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Hampton Falls on Tuesday, the ninth day of March, next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred Thirty Dollars and Twelve Cents (\$230.12), the State contributing Nine Hundred Twenty and Forty-six Cents (\$920.46) to be spent as Town Road Aid. (T. R. A.)
2. To see if the Town will vote to buy one truck snow plow and raise and appropriate money for same.
3. To see if the Town will vote to give the Selectmen power to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.
4. To see if the Town will vote to establish a capital reserve fund for purpose of laying a water main from Whittier's Pond to the Town Common for fire protection and raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) for said fund. (Twenty-five signers).
5. To raise and appropriate for economic advancement of the Town through the publicity and promotional service of the Seacoast Regional Development Association the sum of Ninety Dollars (\$90.00).
6. To see if the Town wishes to continue with the State Auditing or to rescind to vote taken in 1947. (Ten signers).

7. To see if the Town will give the Selectmen authority to sell any property acquired by tax sale.

Given under our hands and seal this sixteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty-eight.

WALLACE H. BATCHELDER,
WILLIAM W. MARSTON,
JAMES H. THURLOW,

Selectmen of Hampton Falls

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

WALLACE H. BATCHELDER,
WILLIAM W. MARSTON,
JAMES H. THURLOW,

Selectmen of Hampton Falls

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing
with Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the

SOURCES OF REVENUE

	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1947	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1948
<i>From State:</i>		
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$2,910.40	\$2,600.00
Railroad Tax	85.09	80.00
Savings Bank Tax	56.10	50.00
For Fighting Forest Fires	33.37	
Reimbursement a/c Old Age Asst.	533.26	
Dog Licenses	192.25	

From Local Sources Except Taxes:

Rent of Town Hall & Other Buildings	9.00	
Interest Received on Taxes & Deposits	32.40	30.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	1,492.99	1,400.00
Sale of Town Property	55.00	
Cemetery Lot No. 32	20.00	
Sale of Culverts	302.30	
Refund on Insurance	11.65	
Town Officers' Registration	8.00	8.00
Tax Sales	358.96	

Amount Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes:

Temporary Loans	6,000.00
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HAMPTON FALLS, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Year January 1, 1948 to December 31, 1948 Compared
Previous Year January 1, 1947 to December 31, 1947

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

	Actual Expend. Previous Year 1947	Estimated Expend. Ensuing Year 1948
<i>Current Maintenance Expenses:</i>		
<i>General Government:</i>		
Town Officers' Salaries	\$994.25	\$1,100.00
Town Officers' Expenses	442.21	450.00
Election and Registration Expenses	32.00	200.00
Special for Audit	97.80	50.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Bldgs.	800.17	700.00
<i>Protection of Persons and Property:</i>		
Police Department	59.11	100.00
Fire Department	938.11	1,000.00
Town Clock	12.00	12.00
Special—Water Hole	269.23	
<i>Health:</i>		
Health Department,	20.00	20.00
Town Dump	288.18	200.00
<i>Highways and Bridges:</i>		
Town Maintenance: Summer	1,748.31	1,500.00
Town Maintenance: Winter	1,764.30	2,000.00
Street Lighting	175.06	175.00
Special Tarvia	1,982.51	2,000.00

SOURCES OF REVENUE (Continued)

<i>Cash Surplus</i>	673.57	
<i>From Local Taxes Other Than</i>		
<i>Property Taxes:</i>		
Poll Taxes—Regular @ \$2	556.00	
Total Revenues From All Sources		
Except Property Taxes	\$13,330.34	\$4,168.00
Amount To Be Raised By		
Property Taxes	24,996.16	27,399.50
Total Revenues	\$38,326.50	\$31,567.50

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES (Continued)

Libraries:

Library	464.52	400.00
Special—Library	470.17	

Public Welfare:

Town Poor	3.75	
Old Age Assistance	1,089.55	1,200.00

Patriotic Purposes:

Memorial Day and Veterans' Ass'n.	55.21	50.00
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Recreation:

Parks and Playgrounds	101.46	100.00
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Public Service Enterprises:

Cemeteries	114.01	100.00
Taxes bought by Town	9.89	

Unclassified:

Refunds	14.00	
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Interest:

On Temporary Loans	20.00	25.00
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Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvement:

Highways and Bridges:

State Aid Construction—Town's share		
T. R. A.	229.25	

Indebtedness:

Payment on Principal of Debt:

Temporary Loans	6,000.00	
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Payments to Other Governmental

Divisions:

County Taxes	3,758.98	3,758.98
Payments to School Districts	15,921.93	16,426.52

Total Expenditures	\$37,875.96	\$31,567.50
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**COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS
AND EXENDITURES, FISCAL YEAR ENDING
DECEMBER 31, 1947**

	App.	Exp.	Bal.	Ov'dr.
Town Officers' Salaries	\$900.00	\$994.25		\$94.25
Town Officers' Expenses	450.00	442.21	7.79	
Elec. and Reg. Expenses	100.00	32.00	68.00	
Auditing Town Accounts	150.00	97.80	52.20	
Town Hall & Buildings	725.00	800.17		75.17
Police Department	100.00	59.11	40.89	
Fire Department	1,500.00	938.11	561.89	
Health Department	20.00	20.00		
Town Road Aid T.R.A.	229.25	229.25		
Town Maintenance (Sum.)	1,500.00	1,446.01	53.99	
Town Maintenance (Win.)	1,500.00	1,764.30		264.30
Town Dump	300.00	288.18	11.82	
Street Lights	175.00	175.06		.06
Tarvia	2,000.00	1,982.51	17.49	
Libraries	400.00	464.52		64.52
Libraries (special)	470.17	470.17		
Old Age Assistance	1,000.00	1,089.55		89.55
Memorial Day	50.00	55.21		5.21
Parks and Playgrounds	200.00	101.46	98.54	
Cemeteries	100.00	114.01		14.01
Town Clock	12.00	12.00		
Interest	25.00	20.00	5.00	
County Tax	3,758.98	3,758.98		
(Special) For Water Hole	200.00	269.23		69.23
	\$15,865.40	\$15,624.09	\$917.61	\$676.30

Net Balance of Appropriations \$241.31

FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1947

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BALANCE

Town of Hampton Falls

ASSETS

Cash

In hands of officials	\$5,507.78
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Unredeemed Taxes:

(from tax sale on account of)

Levy of 1946	9.89
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Levy of 1945	4.03
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Previous Years	9.74
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Uncollected Taxes:

Levy of 1947	1,939.38
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Total Assets

\$7,470.82

Grand Total

\$7,470.82

Net Surplus, December 31, 1946	\$2,487.24
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Net Surplus, December 31, 1947	3,999.40
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Increase of Surplus	1,512.16
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SHEET

December 31, 1947

LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town:

Due to State:

Taxes Collected—not remitted	\$27.00
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Due to School Districts:

Dog licenses	192.25
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Balance of Appropriation	3,252.17
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Total Liabilities	\$3,471.42
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Excess of assets over liabilities (surplus)	3,999.40
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Grand Total	\$7,470.82
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	UNIFORM
Town of Hampton Falls	RECEIPTS AND
RECEIPTS	

Current Revenue:

From Local Taxes:

(Collected and remitted to Treas.)	
Property taxes—Current year	\$23,622.17
Poll taxes—Current year, Reg. @ \$2	484.00
Total of Current Year's taxes	<hr/>
collected and remitted	\$24,106.17
Property taxes—Previous years	1,373.99
Poll taxes—Previous years—Reg. @ \$2	72.00
Interest received on taxes	32.40
Tax sales redeemed	358.96

From State:

Interest and dividend tax	2,910.40
Railroad tax	85.09
Savings bank tax	56.10
Fighting forest fires	33.37
Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance	533.26

From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

Dog licenses	192.25
Rent of Town Hall	9.00
Registration of motor vehicles, 1947 Permits	1,492.99

Total Current Revenue Receipts	<hr/> \$31,255.98
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Receipts Other than Current Revenue:

Temporary loans in anticipation of	
taxes during year	6,000.00
Town officers registration	800.00
Refund on Insurance	11.65
Sale of Setees	55.00

CLASSIFICATION

PAYMENTS For the Year Ended December 31, 1947

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

Town officers' salaries	\$994.25
Town officers' expenses	442.21
Election and registration expenses	32.00
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	800.17

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police department	59.11
Fire dept. including forest fires	938.11
Special Water Hole	269.23
Care of Town Clock	12.00

Health:

Health dept., including hospitals	20.00
Town Dump	288.18

Highways and Bridges:

Town Maintenance

Summer	\$1,748.31
Winter	1,764.30

3,512.61

Street lighting and sprinkling	175.06
Special Tarvia	1,982.51

Libraries:

Libraries	464.52
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Public Welfare:

Old age assistance	1,089.55
Town poor	3.75

Patriotic Purposes:

Memorial Day and Veterans' Ass'n.	55.21
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Recreation:

Parks and playgrounds	101.46
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RECEIPTS AND

Sale of Lot No. 32, Brookside cemetery	20.00
Sale of Culverts	302.30
Total Receipts Other than Current Revenue	<hr/> \$6,396.95
Total Receipts from All Sources	<hr/> \$37,652.93
Cash on hand January 1, 1947	5,730.81
Grand Total	<hr/> \$43,383.74

PAYMENTS—(Continued)

Public Service Enterprises:

Cemeteries, including hearse hire	114.01
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Unclassified:

Special for Library	470.17
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Special for Audit	97.80
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Taxes bought by town	9.89
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Discounts, Abatements and Refunds	14.00
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Total Current Maintenance Expenses	\$11,945.80
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Interest:

Paid in temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	20.00
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Total Interest Payments	20.00
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Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements:

T. R. A.	229.25
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Total Outlay Payments	229.25
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Indebtedness:

Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	6,000.00
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Total Indebtedness Payments	6,000.00
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Payments to Other

Governmental Divisions:

Taxes paid to County	3,758.98
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Payments to School Districts	15,921.93
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Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions	19,680.91
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Total Payments for all Purposes	\$37,875.96
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Cash on hand December 31, 1947	5,507.78
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Grand Total	\$43,383.74
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SUMMARY INVENTORY

Lands and Buildings	\$796,071.00
Growing Wood and Timber	7,125.00
Electric Plants, 2	39,115
Horses 18	2,450.00
Cows 146	18,070.00
Other Neat Stock, 21	2,220.00
Sheep and Goats 62	636.00
Hogs 62	1,060.00
Fowls 5675	5,675.00
Fur-Bearing Animals 45	450.00
Portable Mills 1	350.00
Boats and Launches 11	100.00
Wood, Lumber, etc.	100.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks 3	305.00
Stock in Trade	33,040.00
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Total Valuation (exclusive of soldiers' exemptions and exeptions to blind)	\$905,767.00
Poll Taxes—306 @ \$2	612.00
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Total Amount of Taxes to be Committed to Collector including Town and Precinct Taxes, Poll Taxes and National Bank Stock Taxes	\$26,073.26
Average rate of taxation per one hundred dollars valuation for all purposes	2.82
Amount of property valuation exempted to soldiers	8,975.00

Number of inventories sent out	263
Number of inventories returned	82

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

WALLACE H. BATCHELDER,
WILLIAM W. MARSTON,
JAMES H. THURLOW,

Selectmen of Hampton Falls.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

For The Year Ending December 31, 1947

Total number of automobile permits issued	364
Amount of tax collected	\$1,492.99
Paid Treasurer	1,492.99
Number of dog licenses issued	85
Amount of dog tax collected	\$217.00
Retained for fees	17.00
Paid for tags and blanks	7.75
Paid Treasurer	192.25
Received for town officers registrations	8.00
Paid Treasurer	8.00

A true copy from the records,

Attest: JAMES H. BROWN,
Town Clerk.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

For Year Ending December 31, 1947

LEVY OF 1946

DR.

Uncollected Taxes of January 1, 1947

Property taxes	\$1,374.87	
Poll taxes	98.00	
Added poll taxes	2.00	
Interest collected	31.44	
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		\$1,506.31

CR.

Paid Treasurer

Property taxes	\$1,373.99	
Poll taxes	72.00	
Interest collected	31.44	
Abatements made	28.88	
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		\$1,506.31

LEVY OF 1947

DR.

Amount of Warrant	\$25,983.53	
Added property taxes	56.02	
Added Poll taxes	6.00	
Interest collected	.96	
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		\$26,046.51

CR.

Paid Treasurer Property taxes	\$23,622.17	
Paid Treasurer Poll taxes	484.00	
Paid Treasurer Interest	.96	
Uncollected list Property taxes	1,805.38	
Uncollected list Poll taxes	134.00	
	<hr/>	\$26,046.51

Tax Sales Redeemed		
Levy of 1943	\$167.40	
Levy of 1944	159.63	
Interest	31.93	
	<hr/>	\$358.96

Paid Treasurer	\$358.96	
Unredeemed Levy of 1946		
Fred S. Riley		\$9.89

ELSIE M. CANNON,

Tax Collector.

TREASURER'S REPORT

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand January 1, 1947	\$5,730.81
State of New Hampshire	
Recovery of Old Age Assistance	533.26
Savings Bank tax	56.10
Railroad tax	85.09
Interest and Dividend tax	2,910.40
Forest Fire refund	33.37
James H. Brown	
Registration of Motor Vehicles	1,492.99
Dog tax	192.25
Town officers registration	8.00
James H. Page	
Refund on Insurance	11.65
Merle Straw	
Sale of Setees	55.00
Exeter Banking Co.	
Short term note	6,000.00
Tax Sale Redeemed	
1943 tax, E. Sanborn	167.40
1944 tax, E. Sanborn	191.56
William B. Cannon	
Lot No. 32, Brookside Cemetery	20.00
Elton Orchards	
Culverts	302.30
James Creighton	
Town Hall	9.00
Elsie M. Cannon	
1946 Poll tax	72.00
1946 Property tax	1,373.99
1947 Poll tax	484.00
1947 Property tax	23,622.17
Interest on taxes	32.40
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	\$43,383.74

PAYMENTS

Town Officers' Salaries	\$994.25
Town Officers' Expenses	442.21
Election and Registration Expense	32.00
Town Hall Expense	800.17
Police Department	59.11
Fire Department and Forest Fires	938.11
Special Water Hole	269.23
Care of Town Clock	12.00
Health Department	20.00
Town Dump	288.18
Town Maintenance: Summer	1,748.31
Town Maintenance: Winter	1,764.30
Street Lights	175.06
Special Tarvia	1,982.51
Libraries	464.52
Special Library	470.17
Old Age Assistance	1,089.55
Town Poor	3.75
Memorial Day	55.21
Parks	101.46
Cemeteries	114.01
Special for Audit	97.80
Taxes bought by Town	9.89
Abatement and Refunds	14.00
Interest on temporary loans	20.00
State Aid Contruction T. R. A.	229.25
Temporary Loans	6,000.00
County tax	3,758.98
Schools	15,921.93
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Total Payments	\$37,875.96
Cash on hand December 31, 1947	5,507.78
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	\$43,383.74

LOUIS B. JANVRIN,

Treasurer.

AUDITOR'S GENERAL REPORT

We, the undersigned auditors, have this day examined the accounts of the Town Treasurer, Tax Collector, Town Clerk, Trustees of Trust Funds, Library Treasurer and School Treasurer, and Road Agent and find them well vouched and correctly cast, with balances as therein stated.

FORREST B. CREIGHTON,
JAMES H. PAGE,
H. EARL OSBORNE,

Auditors.

Jan. 6, 1948.

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES ASSESSED, YEAR 1947

Appropriations

Town Officers' Salaries	\$900.00
Town Officers' Expenses	450.00
Election and Registration Expenses	100.00
Auditing Town Accounts	150.00
Town Hall and Buildings	725.00
Police Department	100.00
Fire Department	1,500.00
Health Department	20.00
Town Road Aid T. R. A.	229.25
Town Maintenance: Summer	1,500.00
Town Maintenance: Winter	1,500.00
Town Dump	300.00
Street Lighting	175.00
Gen. Exp. Highway Dept., Tarvia	2,000.00
Libraries, (special)	470.17
Libraries	400.00
Old Age Assistance	1,000.00
Memorial Day	50.00
Parks and Playgrounds	200.00
Cemeteries	100.00
Town Clock	12.00
Interest, temporary loans	25.00
County Tax	3,758.98
School Tax	14,252.17

Total Town and School Appropriations	\$29,917.57
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Less: Estimated Revenues and Credits:

Interest and Dividend Tax	\$2,825.74
Railroad Tax	90.00

Savings Bank Tax	60.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	800.00
Interest Received on Taxes	20.00
Cash Surplus	673.57
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Total Revenues and Credits	\$4,469.31
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	\$25,448.26
Plus Overlay	625.00
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Net Amount to be raised by Taxation	\$26,073.26
Less: Poll Taxes @ \$2	612.00
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Amount to be raised by property taxes on which tax rate is to be figured	\$25,461.26

Taxes to be Committed to Collector

Property Taxes	\$25,461.26
Poll Taxes @ \$2	612.00
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Total Taxes to be Committed	\$26,073.26
Town Tax Rate	\$28.20

SELECTMEN'S REPORT ON EXPENDITURES

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Appropriation	\$900.00
Overdraft	94.25

\$994.25

James H. Brown, Auto permits	\$147.25
James H. Brown, Town Clerk Salary	91.50
Elsie M. Cannon, Tax Collector	125.00
James H. Thurlow, Selectman	134.30
William W. Marston, Selectman	99.00
Wallace H. Batchelder, Selectman	253.20
Louis B. Janvrin, Treasurer	100.00
Forrest B. Creighton, Auditor	4.00
William Felch, Supervisor	36.00
Percy S. Weare, Ballot Clerk	4.00

\$994.25

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Appropriation	\$450.00
Balance	7.79

\$442.21

Hampton Pub. Co., Reports, ballots and Tax Bills	\$197.65
James H. Page, Town Officers bonds,	42.50
R. P. Merrill, Stamped envelopes	16.50
Wallace H. Batchelder, Tel. & stamps	16.45
John W. A. Green, Transfers year ending April 1, 1947	14.40
Charles R. Hardy, Tres., Dues for Town Clerk	2.00

N. H. Tax Collector Ass. Dues		
for Collector	2.00	
Ass. of N. H. Assessors	2.00	
Edson C. Eastman Co. books & supplies	37.41	
Frank A. Batchelder, services	106.40	
The U. S. Auto & Truck Guide Book		
for Clerk	4.50	
Frank B. Nay, Record of deceased persons	.40	
		\$442.21

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Appropriation	\$100.00	
Balance	68.00	
		\$32.00
Walter A. Ladd, Services	\$24.00	
Perley E. Ladd, Services	4.00	
James H. Thurlow, Moderator	4.00	
		\$32.00

TOWN HALL AND BUILDINGS

Appropriation	\$725.00	
Overdraft	75.17	
		\$800.17
James H. Brown, Insurance	\$30.00	
James H. Brown, Insurance 3 years	250.00	
Exeter & Hampton Electric Co., lights	41.56	
B. T. Janvrin, Son Co., New windows	183.50	
Clinton Durant, Wood	72.00	
Edward E. Babb Co., Chemical	7.75	
William I. Felch, Repair sheds	40.00	
B. T. Janvrin Sons Co., lumber		
for sheds	24.66	

New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	6.92	
Kenneth Pelton, sawing wood	5.00	
C. L. Haskell, fireproofing	44.00	
H. L. Norton, wood	20.00	
Roland C. Emery, repair lights	2.25	
James H. Creighton, services	11.53	
John S. Batchelder, labor	30.00	
Clarence Smith, labor	30.00	
Exeter & Hampton Electric Co., lamp shade	1.00	
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		\$800.17

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation	\$100.00	
Balance	40.89	
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		\$59.11
Perley E. Ladd, services	43.88	
William Bucker, services	6.20	
Belmont Supply Co., badges	9.03	
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		\$59.11

FIRE DEPT., INCLUDING FOREST FIRES

Appropriation	\$1,500.00	
Balance	561.89	
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		\$938.11
Hampton Beach Precinct, 8 calls 1946	\$800.00	
Perley E. Ladd, fire at John Larkins	6.38	
Exeter Fire Department, 3 calls 1947	65.00	
Perley E. Ladd, fire patrol	66.73	
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		\$938.11

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Appropriation	\$20.00	
William Marston, Health Officer		\$20.00

CARE OF TOWN CLOCK

Appropriation	\$12.00	
Allison A. Janvrin		\$12.00

CARE OF TOWN DUMP

Appropriation	\$300.00	
Balance	19.82	
		\$288.18
R. G. Watkins & Son Inc., bulldozer	52.80	
Fred M. Simmons bulldozer	150.00	
Clarence Smith, labor	21.00	
Herbert Currier, labor	16.75	
R. P. Merrill, Jr., labor with truck	18.00	
Perley E. Ladd, labor	12.80	
James H. Thurlow, labor	10.83	
Carleton S. Edgerly, labor with tractor	4.00	
William W. Marston, labor	2.00	
		\$288.18

STREET LIGHTS

Appropriation	\$175.00	
Overdraft	.06	
Exeter & Hampton Electric Co.		\$175.06

LIBRARIES

Appropriation	\$400.00	
Overdraft	64.52	
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		\$464.52
Arthur W. Brown, treasurer	\$400.00	
James H. Brown, Insurance	64.52	
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		\$464.52

LIBRARIES SPECIAL

Appropriation	\$470.17	
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Arthur W. Brown, Treasurer		\$470.17

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Appropriation	\$1,000.00	
Overdraft	89.55	
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State of New Hampshire		\$1089.55

TOWN POOR

Wallace H. Batchelder, overseer, care of tramp	\$3.75
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MEMORIAL DAY

Appropriation	\$50.00	
Overdraft	5.21	
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		\$55.21
Walter A. Ladd, 76 geraniums & labor	\$32.88	
Leon's Post Exchange, flags & postage	22.33	
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		\$55.21

PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS

Appropriation	200.00	
Balance	98.54	
		<hr/> \$101.46
Clarence Smith, labor	\$16.50	
Herbert Currier, labor	23.25	
Archibald Lantz, labor with mower	4.65	
Wallace H. Batchelder, paid Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, Fertilizer	13.38	
Fred A. Mark, care of common	43.21	
R. P. Merrill & Son, can and oil	.47	
		<hr/> \$101.46

CEMETERIES

Appropriation	\$100.00	
Overdraft	14.01	
		<hr/> \$114.01
Clarence Smith, labor	\$10.13	
Herbert Currier, labor	12.63	
R. P. Merrill, Jr., labor with truck	26.95	
Kenneth B. Stetson, labor	12.80	
Archibald Lantz, labor with mower	40.50	
Cemetery Ass'n., rent of mower	11.00	
		<hr/> \$114.01

INTEREST

Appropriation	\$25.00	
Balance	5.00	
		<hr/> \$20.00
Exeter Banking Company		

TOWN ROAD AID, T. R. A.

Appropriation	\$229.25	
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State of New Hampshire		\$229.25
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REFUND

Richard Sargent, over charge 1947 tax		\$14.00
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TARVIA

Appropriation	\$2,000.00	
Balance	17.49	

\$1,982.51

Tres., State of New Hampshire	\$1,547.69	
Trumont Bituminous Pr., Co.	418.72	
David T. Batchelder, truck	16.10	

\$1,982.51

SPECIAL WATER HOLE

Appropriation	\$200.00	
Overdraft	69.23	

\$269.23

Armas Guyon	\$212.75	
B. T. Janvrin Sons Co., cement	56.48	

\$269.23

TOWN AUDIT

Appropriation	\$150.00	
Balance	52.20	

State Tax Commission		\$97.80
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TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

Elsie M. Cannon, (Fred Riley 1946 tax)		\$9.89
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TEMPORARY LOANS

The Exeter Banking Co.	\$6,000.00
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ROCKINGHAM COUNTY TAX (1947)

Earle R. Stockbridge, Treasurer	\$3,758.98
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HAMPTON FALLS SCHOOL DISTRICT

Louis B. Janvrin, Treasurer	\$15,921.98
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TOWN MAINTENANCE (Winter)

Spent by R. P. Merrill, Jr.

R. P. Merrill, Jr., Foreman	\$87.50
R. P. Merrill & Son, truck	21.80
Fred Rice & Son, truck and plow	229.45
D. T. Batchelder, truck and plow	266.76
E. A. Heal, Jr., tractor and plow	4.50
Richard Perkins, labor	46.40
E. A. Heal, Jr. labor	12.00
G. A. Voge, labor	8.40
George F. Merrill, labor	21.60
Follis Wall, labor	6.00
Emerson Head, driving tractor	15.50
Edwin McConnell, labor	31.20
Bernard Mark, labor	2.80
Gerald Batchelder, labor	3.20
James H. Page, Insurance	44.50
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange	42.80
R. P. Merrill & Son, can & oil for tractor	5.00
R. P. Merrill, Jr., labor on snow fence	10.00
R. P. Merrill & Son, gas for tractor	21.23
F. Wibur Jewell, range oil	3.07

\$884.31

TOWN MAINTENANCE (Winter)

Spent by Robert G. Perfect:

Richard Rice, truck	\$156.15	
Fred J. Rice, truck	228.50	
F. N. Rice, truck	23.55	
George O'Brien, labor	10.63	
Emery Fogg, labor	43.10	
Allen Weeks, labor	4.25	
Eugene Heal, Jr. labor	9.78	
William Little, labor	11.90	
William Bucker, labor	6.80	
H. Darwing, labor	4.25	
R. P. Merrill, truck	16.25	
R. P. Merrill, labor	5.53	
Homer Johnson, loader	38.50	
Homer Johnson, sand	17.55	
Robert G. Perfect, foreman	8.45	
David T. Batchelder, truck	8.50	
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, salt	23.00	
Fred J. Rice, truck & men	263.75	
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		\$879.39

TOWN MAINTENANCE (Summer)

Appropriation	\$1,500.00	
From James W. Elton	302.30	
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	\$1,802.30	
Balance	53.99	
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		\$1,748.31
Russell P. Merrill, Jr., foreman	\$245.28	
R. P. Merrill & Son, truck	284.23	
D. T. Batchelder, tractor	33.00	

Richard Perkins, labor	65.78
Eugene A. Heal, tractor	8.00
Eugene A. Heal, Jr., labor	3.00
William Scoones, labor	5.85
E. Follis Wall, labor	32.81
Clarence Smith, labor	39.38
Herbert Currier, labor	39.38
Alfred Young, labor	19.50
Edward Sandberg, labor	12.00
James Sanborn, labor	6.00
Clayton Fegan, labor	11.30
Edward Wall, labor	4.50
William Bucker, labor	6.00
John Meyer, labor	13.50
William Meyer, labor	36.35
Carleton Edgerly, labor	1.60
Kenneth Stetson, labor	9.94
R. P. Merrill, labor	3.75
G. A. Voge, labor	7.10
Donald Brown, labor	21.00
Charles Akerman, labor	12.00
Percy S. Weare, labor	11.25
Maurice Perkins, labor	9.00
John Wall, labor	3.15
Alfred Young, tractor & mower	25.38
George Pace, power shovel	144.50
D. T. Batchelder, sand & gravel	4.45
R. P. Merrill, Jr., gas, oil Tel. & Express	22.25
T. L. Peavey Co. Inc. tools	27.93
Edward T. Temple, tar for patch	36.50
James H. Thurlow, repair sign	5.00
B. T. Janvrin Sons Co., lumber & paint	63.62
White's Welding Shop, repair work	11.05
S. A. Dow & Son, tools	3.00
State Highway Garage, R. C. Pipe	56.00
State Highway Garage, R. C. Pipe	302.30
James H. Page, Insurance	69.73

Collector of Internal Rev.	4.10	
Spent by Robert G. Perfect	31.95	
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		\$1,748.31

STATE AID, T. R. A.

Balance from 1946	\$237.69	
Town and State	1,146.23	
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Total	\$1,383.92	
Spent by R. P. Merrill, Jr.	747.65	
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Balance carried forward	\$636.27	

REPORT OF JANITOR OF TOWN HALL

RECEIPTS

1	Auditors Meeting	
1	Town Meeting	
7	School Meetings	
6	Supervisors Meetings	
1	Batchelder Reunion	\$3.00
6	P. T. A. Meetings	10.00
31	Rehearsals	
5	Entertainments	25.00
22	Grange Meetings	44.00
34	Dances	160.00
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		\$242.00

PAYMENTS

34	Openings for Dance	\$102.00
22	Openings for Grange	66.00
13	Openings for Rehearsals	4.00
5	Openings for Entertainments	15.00
9	Openings for Town	25.00
6	Openings for P. T. A.	18.00
6	Openings for Sup. of Check List	
1	Opening for Batchelder Reunion	3.00
Paid Town Treasurer		9.00
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		\$242.00

TRUST FUNDS OF HAMPTON FALLS, N. H. For The Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1947

Date of Creation	TRUST FUNDS—Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Bal. of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
Jan. 6 1926	Mary Pickering Harris Fund	Portsmouth Trust and Guarantee Co.	\$200.00	2	\$88.82	\$5.79	\$5.00	\$89.61
Nov. 27 1931	Care of Langdon Burial Lot	First National Bank	100.00	1	10.53	1.10	00.00	11.63
May 16 1933	Gertrude Sanborn Fund	Portsmouth Trust and Guarantee Co.	2,500.00	2	00.00	50.25	50.25	00.00
May 16 1933	Care George B. Sanborn Burial Lot	Portsmouth Trust and Guarantee Co.	2,500.00	2	00.00	50.75	50.75	25.50
May 16 1933	Oliver Fleming Fund	Exeter Banking Co., Savings Department	150.00	2	00.00	3.01	00.00	3.01
May 16 1933	Town Library and Care of Burial Lot	Portsmouth Trust and Guarantee Co.	200.00	2	9.35	4.20	00.00	13.55
Dec. 6 1934	Oliver Fleming Fund	Exeter Banking Co., Savings Department	500.00	2½	36.38	13.37	00.00	49.75
Jan. 27 1942	Mary L. Wakeman Fund	Portsmouth Trust and Guarantee Co.	200.00	2	25.93	00.00	00.00	25.93
Jan. 27 1942	Care of Burial Lot	Exeter Banking Co., Savings Department	6,350.00		128.47	103.00	218.98	
Jan. 27 1942	William K. Cochane Fund	United States Defense Savings Bond Series G. and Exeter Banking Co.						
Jan. 27 1942	Miriam G. Andrews Fund	Exeter Banking Co., Savings Department						
Dec. 15 1947	Care of George H. Dodge and George H. Dodge Burial Lots	Exeter Banking Co., Savings Department						
Dec. 15 1947	Dudley Dodge Burial Lots	Exeter Banking Co., Savings Department						
Dec. 15 1947	Annie E. Crane Fund	Exeter Banking Co., Savings Department						
Dec. 15 1947	Care of Burial Lot	Exeter Banking Co., Savings Department						
		Totals	6,350.00		128.47	103.00	218.98	

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.
Date January 5, 1948.

LOUIS B. JANVRIN,
ARTHUR W. BROWN,
WALTER W. COMBS,

Trustees.

LIBRARY REPORT

To the Selectmen of Hampton Falls:

The Trustees of the Hampton Falls Free Library held four meetings during the year, to authorize the renovation and extension of the Library and to elect the following officers: on the resignation of James Howard Brown, who had been chairman since the foundation of the Library, B. T. Janvrin was elected Chairman; Arthur W. Brown, Treasurer; and Miss Frances Healey, Secretary. The following committees were appointed: *Book*, Mrs. David F. Batchelder, Mrs. Dalton Boynton, Mrs. William W. Marston, Mrs. E. Emmons Sanborn, Miss Virginia Downer, Chairman; *Cataloging*, Mrs. Walter W. Coombs, Mrs. Nathan D. Dodge, Mrs. Edwin L. Janvrin, Mrs. William H. McDevitt, Mrs. Edward B. Sandberg, Mrs. Laurence E. Wadleigh, Chairman; *Hospitality*, Mrs. Robert G. Perfect, Mrs. C. M. Wellington, Mrs. Robert T. Kiely, Chairman; *Ways and Means*, Mrs. L. E. Wadleigh, Miss Virginia Downer, Edwin L. Janvrin, Chairman.

1947 marked a great increase in the number of volumes in the Library. Over 500 of these were donated by interested friends. These donations included all types of books—fiction, non-fiction, adults' and children's—as well as a very good art-reference library. We wish to record our grateful appreciation to these most generous friends of the Library.

We are also greatly indebted to the membership of the Hampton Falls Parent-Teachers Association, which has twice voted funds to be given to the Library for the purchase of children's books and the acquisition of reference books suitable for children. These two grants have totaled \$125.00, of which \$83.00 has been spent in 1947 for the purchase of such books.

The magazines to which the Library subscribes include four children's periodicals, and *Holiday*. These subscriptions have been generously donated by Mrs. Nathan D. Dodge.

In July, at the suggestion of Mrs. Marston, a Branch Library was opened on the Exeter Road in the home of Miss Agnes Knight, with Miss Knight as Librarian. This has proved to be a successful venture. A rotating supply of volumes is furnished by the main library, and the number available at the Branch averages about 60 adults' and 90 children's books. Magazines are also provided. The success of the Exeter Road Branch may be evaluated by its circulation, which averages 60 books per month. The corresponding figure for the main library is 120 books per month (70 adults' and 50 children's). This makes a total circulation of 180 books per month.

The Cataloging Committee has worked over 150 hours, and all fiction and about half the non-fiction volumes have been cataloged with both author and title cards and correctly arranged on the shelves.

Beginning in May, monthly programs were instituted to acquaint the people of the Town with the facilities which the Library could now extend to them. These programs, arranged by the Hospitality Committee, were designed to emphasize the various types of library work, such as Current Events, Arts and Crafts, Travel, etc. In so far as the committee were able, an authority in each particular field was obtained as a guest speaker.

The Ways and Means Committee has made improvements and installed equipment and furnishings. Three hundred and thirty-six dollars of the money so expended was donated by Mrs. Alfred H. Burlen, Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Boynton, Mrs. H. F. Crossman, James W. Elton, B. T. Janvrin, B. T. Janvrin Sons Company, E. L. Janvrin, Hervey Kent, Mrs. L. E. Wadleigh, Arthur W. Brown and others.

The Trustees are grateful for the devotion and hard work of the various committees and to the friends and townspeople who have made valuable contributions to their library.

Respectfully submitted,

B. T. JANVRIN,
Chairman, Board of Trustees,
Hampton Falls Free Library

January 20, 1948

SCHOOL REPORT

SCHOOL WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School district in the town of Hampton Falls qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the ninth day of March 1948, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To Choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

8. To see if the district will vote to make alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.

9. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate \$3,000.00 as payment of debt and \$875.00 as interest on debt for the current year (1947-1948), such funds to be made available before May 1, 1948.

Given under our hands at said Hampton Falls this sixteenth day of February, 1948.

MICHAEL LAUGHLIN,
ELIZABETH WALL,
ELIZABETH MERRILL,

School Board of Hampton Falls

A True copy of Warrant—Attest:

MICHAEL LAUGHLIN,
ELIZABETH WALL,
ELIZABETH MERRILL,

School Board of Hampton Falls

HAMPTON FALLS SCHOOL BUDGET

1948 - 1949

Salaries of District Officers		\$160.00
Superintendent's Salary		110.00
School Census		6.00
Expenses of Administration		125.00
Truant Officer		15.00
Teachers' Salaries (Art & Music incl.)		4,000.00
Text Books		300.00
Scholar Supplies		250.00
Flags		10.00
Janitor Service		350.00
Fuel		300.00
Water, Light, janitor supplies		100.00
Minor Repairs		50.00
Health Supervision		200.00
Transportation		3,175.00
Tuition: Elementary	\$1,610.00	
High	3,641.00	
		<hr/> 5,600.00
Per Capita Tax		184.00
Treasurer's Bond		5.00
Retirement		37.00
Principal of debt, year 1948-49		3,000.00
Interest on debt, year 1948-49		822.50
		<hr/> \$18,799.50
Less State Aid		2,372.98
		<hr/> \$16,426.52
Special Appropriation		
Principal of debt, year 1947-48		\$3,000.00
Interest on debt, year 1947-48		875.00

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE

The building committee chosen at the school meeting of 1947, and the school board, after interviewing several architects, chose to employ Hersey and Phanenf of Durham. Plans were drawn in accordance with state specifications after many meetings of the committee and architects, and the plans put out to bid. The bids, opened on the 28th of May proved to be too high. The low bid was \$62,000.00. The high bid was \$106,000.00. On the advice of Mr. Hersey the plans were put out to bid again in the fall, hoping for lower bids. This time the low bid was \$77,833.00 and the high bid, \$92,819.00. As the total amount the town would be allowed to borrow is \$62,000.00 it is the recommendation of the committee that the matter be deferred until such a time as the cost comes within our financial limits.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL L. LAUGHLIN,
ELIZABETH G. WALL,
ELIZABETH C. MERRILL,
WALLACE H. BATCHELDER,
MAURICE E. MERRILL,
FORREST B. CREIGHTON.

ANNUAL REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER

SUMMARY

Cash on hand June 30, 1946	
(Treasurer's Bank Balance)	\$1,983.67
Received from selectmen:	
Appropriations for current year	\$12,730.50
Dog Tax	191.43
Money borrowed	50,068.05
Received from all other sources	5,060.52
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	\$68,050.50
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Total Amount Available for Fiscal	
Year (Balance and receipts)	\$70,034.17
Less School Board Orders Paid	16,727.05
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Balance on Hand as of June 30, 1947	
(Treasurer's Bank Balance)	\$53,307.12

LOUIS B. JANVRIN,
School Treasurer

**SCHOOL TREASURER'S STATEMENT OF
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES**

July 1, 1946 to June 30, 1947

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand July 1, 1946		\$1,983.67
Received from Town Treas., Appr.	12,730.50	
Received from Town Treas., Dog		
Tax	191.43	
Roland Dionne, Tuition	14.00	
State of New Hampshire milk fund	21.52	
Granite State Fire Insurance	5,000.00	
Ray Coombs, Tuition	25.00	
F. W. Horne & Co., Bonds & Int.	50,068.05	
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		68,050.50
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		\$70,034.17

EXPENDITURES

Administration :

Salaries	\$160.00
Superintendent's Salary	104.17
Truant Officer & School Census	21.00
Tax for State Wide supervision	162.00
Expenses of Administration	140.41

Instruction :

Teachers' Salaries and tax	3,076.75
Text Books	361.61
Scholars' Supplies	270.91
Other Expenses of Instruction	25.67

Operation of School Plant :

Janitor Service	46.50
Fuel	162.43
Lights and supplies	57.17
Repairs and Replacements	330.01
Special Services	200.00

Auxiliary Activities:		
Health Supervision	216.02	
Transportation	2,532.00	
High School Tuition	2,483.00	
Elementary School Tuition	1,226.66	
Other Special Activities	15.76	
Capital Outlay:		
Lands and new buildings	1,640.00	
Improvements to buildings	935.17	
New Equipment	2,559.81	
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Total Payments		\$16,727.05
Cash on hand June 30, 1947		53,307.12
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		\$70,034.17

LOUIS B. JANVRIN,
School Treasurer.

SCHOOL BOARD'S DETAILED REPORT

ON EXPENDITURES

Salary of District Officers:

Louis Janvrin, Treasurer	\$50.00	
Elinor Milbury, School Board	50.00	
Elizabeth Wall, School Board	30.00	
Michael Laughlin, School Board	30.00	
		\$160.00

Superintendent's Salary:

F. Gordon Kimball	\$104.17	
		\$104.17

Truant Officer and School Census:

Elizabeth Wall, Census	\$6.00	
Elinor Milbury, Truant Officer	15.00	
		\$21.00

Expenses of Administration:

James Page, Treasurer's Bond	\$5.00	
Hampton Publishing Co., Warrant	9.00	
Roy W. Gillmore, share office exp.	63.38	
Roy W. Gillmore, share conference exp.	3.78	
E. H. Milbury, expenses	6.85	
Exeter News Letter, adv.	.75	
Hampton School District, office rent	35.00	
Union dinner, H. F. share	14.15	
M. Laughlin, expenses	2.50	
		\$140.41

Teachers' Salaries:

Pauline Ainsworth	\$1,350.80
Florence Batchelder	1,350.80
Hilda Morse	6.00
Dorothea Martin	157.50
Leona Foster	149.25
Collector Internal Revenue, (Higgins, Berry)	62.40
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	\$3,076.75

Text Books:

John C. Winston, Co.	\$5.31
Webster Publishing Co.	97.36
Allyn & Bacon	31.24
Beckley-Cardy Co.	14.81
Scott, Foresman & Co.	18.64
American Book Company	15.57
Ginn and Company	70.04
C. W. Clark Co.	.76
Educational Test Bureau	11.30
Scribner's Co.	22.68
Benton Review Publishing Co.	4.90
Row, Peterson Co.	6.60
Charles R. Merrill Co.	24.61
Macmillan Company	3.15
L. W. Singer Co.	34.64
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	\$361.61

Scholars' Supplies:

Edward E. Babb Co.	\$106.22
J. L. Hammett Co.	110.92
Macmillan Company	11.55
Scott, Foresman & Co.	10.59
Webster Publishing Co.	18.61

Row, Peterson Co.	1.98	
S. A. Dow & Son	1.50	
Gledhill Bors. Inc.	8.98	
National Educational Ass'n.	.56	
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		\$270.91

Other Expenses of Instruction:

World Book Co.	\$15.01	
Webster Publishing Co.	1.52	
A. B. Rider Associates	9.14	
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		\$25.67

Janitor Service:

Royce Godfrey	\$15.00	
Michael Laughlin	31.50	
		\$46.50

Fuel:

Harold Secord	\$162.43	
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		\$162.43

Water, Light, Janitor Supplies:

Exeter & Hampton Electric Co.	\$36.83	
Young's Hardware	6.40	
Florence Batchelder	3.41	
S. A. Dow & Son.	3.00	
L. Philbrick Co.	5.76	
Merrill's Store	1.77	
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		\$57.17

Minor Repairs and Replacements:

William Burns	\$2.50
Alan Milbury	2.50
William F. Summerfield	86.61
C. C. Field	1.50
Doris Godfrey	85.50
Robert Perfect	49.95
Young's Hardware	7.50
R. H. Milbury	32.00
M. Laughlin	16.00
A. E. Edgerly	22.75
O. Akerman	16.00
B. T. Janvrin Sons Co.	7.20

\$330.01

Health Supervision:

Dr. William Coleman	\$15.00
Dorothy Lindsey, R. N.	175.00
Tobey's Drug Store	26.02

\$216.02

Transportation of Pupils:

Marshall Transportation Co.	\$2,460.00
Eleanor Milbury	54.00
George Pond	18.00

\$2,532.00

High School Tuition:

Robinson Seminary	\$140.00
School District of Exeter	100.00
Sanborn Seminary	115.00
Hampton School District	2,128.00

\$2,483.00

Elementary School Tuition:

Hampton School District	\$1,226.66	
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Lands and New Buildings:

Irving W. Hersey	\$1,640.00	
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Alterations of Old Building:

Walter Lang	\$92.00	
Walter Lock	228.00	
R. A. Milbury	75.00	
Chester Macauley	142.75	
Ray Chisholm	114.06	
John G. Cram	5.00	
B. T. Janvrin Sons Co.	152.32	
Clarence Stevens	14.38	
Roger Caswell	20.00	
Alfred Bearsto	91.66	
	<hr/>	\$935.17

New Equipment:

William Summerfield	\$450.00	
O. H. Cammett	164.74	
Arthur W. Brown	486.34	
M. E. Reed Co.	1,458.73	
	<hr/>	\$2,559.81

School Lunches:

W. H. Batchelder	\$15.76	
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Per Capita Tax:

F. Gordon Kimball

\$162.00

\$162.00

Services:

Hampton School District

\$200.00

\$200.00

Total payments for all purposes

\$16,727.05

Total cash on hand at end of year 6-30-47

53,307.12

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

October 7, Town of Hampton Falls	\$2,000.00
November 5, Town of Hampton Falls	2,000.00
December 2, Town of Hampton Falls	2,000.00
December 31, Roland Dionne, Tuition	14.00
December 31, Town of Hampton Falls	2,000.00
January 20, State of New Hampshire, milk refund	7.60
February 25, State of New Hampshire, milk refund	8.16
March 4, Town of Hampton Falls	2,000.00
March 25, State of New Hampshire, milk refund	5.76
March 25, Granite State Fire Insurance	5,000.00
April 8, Town of Hampton Falls	1,500.00
April 10, Ray Coombs, Tuition	25.00
May 5, Town of Hampton Falls, dog tax	191.43
May 5, Town of Hampton Falls, balance appro.	1,230.50
May 31, F. W. Horne & Co., bonds and interest	50,068.05
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Total Receipts during year	\$68,050.50

CERTIFICATE OF AUDIT

This is to certify that we have audited the accounts and records of the Hampton Falls School District for the fiscal years ended June 30, 1946 and June 30, 1947, and found them to be in good order. In our opinion the Exhibits presented herewithin reflect the true financial condition of the School District, together with the results of operations for the periods under review.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD G. FOWLER, Director
Division of Municipal Accounting
State Tax Commission

Herbert E. Hunt, Auditor
Norman P. Schauer, Accountant
August 27, 1947.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board of Hampton Falls:

I herewith present my report as Superintendent of your schools.

Hampton Falls began the current year on Monday, September 9, 1947 with an initial enrollment of forty-two, twenty-eight of these being in the primary room. Nineteen were registered in Hampton Junior High School and twenty-four in Hampton Senior High School. Six pupils are also enrolled in Exeter and in Sanborn Seminary.

With the decision to postpone building a school, the board was faced with the necessity of suitably housing its pupils. By conference with the Dearborn Academy trustees it was agreed that our children should use the Academy building. In accordance with this agreement the two north rooms are now schools for the Hampton Falls pupils. The preparation of the building to house the increased number of pupils has required money, time and patience. The trustees of the Academy and the school boards of Hampton Falls and Seabrook have worked together to improve their service to our children. Better lighting and heating have been received through new equipment. New toilets have been placed in the building which are serviced by an artesian well. The latest type of moveable desks have been purchased. The moveable desks were best not only because they are more adapted to modern education but also because it is the first equipment for the new school building.

Hampton Falls continues its service to its children by retaining the two teachers of the former year. It also offers again the work in Music with Mrs. Foster as supervisor. We are pleased to welcome to the Art department Mrs. Wholey after several years in war work. Mrs.

Dorothy Lindsey continues as school nurse. Working under difficulties which have now been surmounted to a great degree, these teachers are faithfully striving for the best for our children.

Under the new education bill passed by the legislature, Hampton Falls qualifies for state aid to the amount of \$2,372.98. This is acquired through two accounts. Under the equalization provision the district receives \$1,176.97. This is determined by the towns ability to pay, under the equalized valuation of the district. Our share of the general aid is \$1,196.01. This figure is based upon the number of children for whose education the district is responsible as determined by the average per pupil membership. This money helps us to meet additional school expenses including the minimum teachers salaries and increased costs of textbooks, supplies and administration.

The Hampton Falls Parent Teacher Association is a valued part of the school. It is composed of a group of citizens interested in the welfare of the public schools and its pupils. Its aims are best expressed in the objects of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers as determined by that body; "to develop between educators and the general public such united efforts as will receive for every child the highest advantages in physical, mental, social and spiritual education."

In-service training of teachers is increasingly important since education must keep pace with an ever changing world. Teaching must be continuously readapted to new situations. With this objective in view, a work shop for the teachers of Union 21 was conducted on January 21, 22 and 23. All elementary teachers of Union 21 met in Hampton to be instructed in the most accepted methods of teaching. The instructors were the state supervisors for the State Board of Education. Since these instructors are leaders in their special fields, it is the opinion of those in attendance that much was accomplished by bringing to our teachers the most approved thought for

training youth. Hampton Falls was fortunate to be one of those chosen to receive this assistance. It is hoped that such workshops for teachers will be scheduled annually.

Our children are now comfortably housed. However, the benefits of a new school should be theirs. The values of an assembly room and an auditorium are many. Provisions for modern equipment should be available. Our pupils should have these advantages soon.

Respectfully submitted,

ROY W. GILLMORE,

Superintendent of Schools.

February 1, 1948.

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

Physical examinations of all the children were conducted by Dr. Coleman assisted by the school nurse. Vision and hearing tests were given. The audiometer will be used this year for hearing tests.

Through the generosity of the Red Cross, four children had vision corrected and six received complete dental care.

Through the State Conservation Eye Program, two children were taken to the Massachusetts Eye and Ear Infirmary for defective vision.

First aid supplies are placed in school the beginning of the school year. Visits are made to the school weekly.

Contagious Diseases:

Pediculosis	3
Impetigo	4
Chicken pox	2
Visits made to the school	26
Visits made to homes	36

Respectfully submitted,

DOROTHY LINDSEY, R. N.

SCHOOL STATISTICS, 1946 - 1947

ATTENDANCE

Teacher,	School	Grade	Ave. Memb.	No. Tardy	% of Attend.
Florence Batchelder,	Primary	1-3	24.00	5	93.00
Pauline Ainsworth,	Interm.	4-6	24.00	1	94.33
Leona Foster,	Music				
Dorothea Martin,	Art				
Totals or Average			48.00	6	93.67

PROMOTIONS, JUNE 1947

Grade	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Promoted	7	11	3	4	9	9	43
Not Promoted	0	3	0	1	0	0	4
Average Age	6-2	7-4	8-7	9-2	10-1	11-6	

ENROLLMENT, FALL TERM 1947

Teacher,	School	Grade	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Florence Batchelder,	Primary		7	8	13				28
Pauline Ainsworth,	Interm.					2	8	4	14
Leona Foster,	Music								
Janice Wholey,	Art								
Totals			7	8	13	2	8	4	42

SCHOOL CENSUS, SEPTEMBER 1947

Number of children in private schools in district	2
Number of children in public schools in district	42
Number attending high schools (5-16) outside of district	17
Number attending elementary school (5-16) outside district	24
Number of children not in any school (5-16)	5
Total number of children accounted for in district	90
Number of children reported in district who live in other towns	1
Total number of district children accounted for	89

HAMPTON FALLS PUPILS ATTENDING HAMPTON ACADEMY AND HIGH SCHOOL

Tuition Paid By The District

Heal, Ada J.	Elton, Elaine C.
Merrill, Cynthia	Kuchtey, Arleen R.
Meyer, Natalie	Lord, Norman R.
Moore, Paul R.	Merrill, George F.
Tower, Sally Ann	Meyer, Elizabeth
Watson, Martha C.	Currier, Patricia A.
Meyer, William	Godfrey, Gloria M.
Plimpton, Walter H.	Gough, Joanna F.
Rollins, Elizabeth A.	Lord, Donald W.
Williams, Mary L.	Mercier, William
Binette, Alfred J.	Rollins, Marguerite
Brown, Donald D.	Sandberg, Gretchen M.

HAMPTON FALLS PUPILS ATTENDING HAMPTON JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Barbara Chaddock	Dorothy Batchelder
Nancy Gilmore	Joyce Brown
Royce Godfrey	Stephen Kuchtey
Carolyn Kutchety	Sandra Moore
Elizabeth Laughlin	Carol Perkins
Mary Laughlin	John Pettiglio
Joyce McDunnough	Gilbert Scruton
William Noble	Jared Woodall
Sandra Pond	Gertrude Young
Paul Vatcher	

EXETER HIGH SCHOOL

William Baillengeron	Alan Milbury
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ROBINSON SEMINARY

Anne Baillengeron	Carol Milbury
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SANBORN SEMINARY

Joan Wall	John Wall
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SPECIAL REPORT

of an audit and examination
of the accounts
of the

TOWN OF HAMPTON FALLS

made by

**THE DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING
STATE TAX COMMISSION**

August 13 - 18, 1947

**DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING
STATE TAX COMMISSION
Concord, New Hampshire**

September 4, 1947

Board of Selectmen
Hampton Falls
New Hampshire

Gentlemen:

In accordance with the vote of the town an audit and examination of the accounts of the Town of Hampton Falls has been made by this Division. This audit covered the fiscal years ended December 31, 1945 and December 31, 1946. Exhibits as hereafter listed are included as part of the report which is submitted herewith. The report is made up in three sections as follows:

- Section I Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1945
- Section II Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1946
- Section III Statistical Tables Covering Ten Year Period

SCOPE OF AUDIT

Included in the examination and audit were the accounts and records of the Board of Selectmen, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Town Clerk, Trustees of Trust Funds and Library Treasurer.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Comparative Balance Sheets:

Comparative Balance Sheets for the fiscal years ended December 31, 1944 - 1945, and December 31, 1945 - 1946, are presented in Exhibits A and L, respectively. As indicated therein the Surplus decreased by \$142.15 during 1945 and \$1,457.11 in 1946.

Reconciliation of Change in Financial Condition:

Statements presenting an analysis of the factors which affected the change in financial condition of the Town during the fiscal years ended December 31, 1945 and December 31, 1946, are included in Exhibits B and M, respectively.

The decrease in Surplus during 1945 amounted to \$142.15. The factors which caused this were as follows:

DECREASES OF SURPLUS

Cash Surplus Used to Reduce

Amount of Tax Levy	\$608.24
Increase in Accounts Payable	15.00

\$623.24

INCREASES OF SURPLUS

Net Budget Surplus	\$479.09	
Increase in Accounts Receivable	2.00	
	<hr/>	481.09

Net Decrease in Surplus \$142.15

In 1946 the decrease in Surplus, amounting to \$1,457.11, was brought about as follows:

DECREASES OF SURPLUS

Cash Surplus Used to Reduce		
Amount of Tax Levy	\$1,526.99	
Decrease in Accounts Receivable	475.75	
	<hr/>	\$2,002.74

INCREASES OF SURPLUS

Net Budget Surplus	\$530.63	
Decrease in Accounts Payable	15.00	
	<hr/>	\$545.63

Net Decrease in Surplus \$1,457.11

COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES — ESTIMATED AND ACTUAL REVENUES

In the fiscal year ended December 31, 1945, a net revenue surplus of \$1,223.23, less a net overdraft of appropriations of \$744.14, resulted in a net budget surplus of \$479.09.

A net revenue surplus of \$510.38, plus a net unexpended balance of appropriations of \$20.25, resulted in a net budget surplus of \$530.63 in 1946.

Summaries of Receipts and Expenditures:

Summaries of the receipts and expenditures of the Town, made up in accordance with the uniform classification of accounts, for the fiscal years ended December 31, 1945 and 1946, are presented in Exhibits E and P, respectively.

Statistical Tables:

The third section of the report is comprised of statistical tables covering the ten year period from 1937 to 1946. These are as follows:

- I Comparative Balance Sheets
- II Comparative Statement of Taxable Valuation and Taxes Assessed
- III Comparative Statement of Indebtedness, Valuation and Taxes

AUDIT PROCEDURE

The accounts and records of all town officials charged with the custody, receipt and disbursement of public funds were examined and audited. Vouchers and cancelled checks were compared with supporting invoices and payrolls as well as entries in the books of record. Receipts were checked by source insofar as possible and totals of receipts and expenditures verified. Proof of the Treasurer's balance as of December 31, 1946, is indicated in Exhibit Q.

TAX ACCOUNTS

Tax warrants for the current and previous years' levies as well as the tax sale accounts were examined. Summary statements indicating the activity in these accounts during the fiscal years of 1945 and 1946, are included in Exhibits F, G, H, I, and R, S, T, and U, respectively. A summary of the Special Poll Tax account is presented in Exhibit V.

TOWN CLERK

The accounts and records of the Town Clerk were examined and audited. All funds received by the Town Clerk on account of the issuance of motor vehicle permits and dog licenses were properly accounted for through remittances to the Treasurer and fees retained.

TRUST FUNDS

Bank books and U. S. bonds representing the principal and unexpended income of the trust funds were examined. A summary statement of trust fund principal and income is included in Exhibit Z.

LIBRARY TREASURERS

An examination was made of the record of receipts and expenditures of the Library Treasurers and this was found to be in order.

TOWN OFFICERS' SURETY BONDS

A list of the officials who are required by law to furnish surety bonds is included in Exhibit Z. Also indicated therein are the amounts of each official's bond and the issuing surety company.

GENERAL COMMENTS

Table III, titled "Statement of Indebtedness, Valuation and Taxes," presents a comprehensive summary of the financial condition of the Town of Hampton Falls during the last ten years and the changes which have taken place during this period.

It will be noted that throughout this period the town has maintained a surplus position. The assessed valuation of taxable property has increased each year, the total increase for the ten year period amounting to over \$120,000. The tax rate has continued to remain well under the average rate for the State, as is evidenced by the following:

Year	Local Tax Rate	Average State Tax
	Per \$100	Rate Per \$100
1937	\$2.50	\$3.41
1946	\$2.50	\$3.47

Some suggestions and recommendations relative to accounting procedure were made to the officials during the course of the audit. These included:

(1) Library:

In addition to the regular library appropriation which is turned over to the treasurer of the library certain bills are paid directly by the selectmen and town treasurer. It is suggested that all library bills be paid by the library treasurer.

(2) Classification of Accounts:

Careful attention should be given to the classification of accounts and to the matter of carrying out expenditure items into the proper classification columns in the book of record.

(3) Tax Collector:

Abatements, when authorized, should be posted to the warrant book.

Record of each tax collection in the warrant book should include the year as well as the month and day of collection.

(4) Treasurer:

In recording remittances from the tax collector, the town treasurer should segregate in his cash book property and poll taxes by year of levy in the same manner which this information is reported to him by the collector.

Conclusion:

The accounts of all officials of the town which we examined were found in good condition and the accounting procedure, with minor exceptions, conformed to the uniform methods prescribed by this Division.

The provisions of Section 31, Chapter 211, of the Laws of 1939, require that this report or a summary of its essential features shall be published in the next annual town report. This letter of transmittal should be included in its entirety but the inclusion of Exhibits is optional.

We extend our thanks to the officials of the Town of Hampton Falls for their assistance during the course of the audit.

Yours very truly,
 HAROLD G. FOWLER, Director,
 Division of Municipal Accounting
 State Tax Commission

Herbert E. Hunt, Auditor
 Norman P. Schauer, Accountant

CERTIFICATE OF AUDIT

This is to certify that we have audited the accounts and records of the Town of Hampton Falls for the fiscal years ended December 31, 1945 and December 31, 1946, and found them to be in good order. In our opinion the Exhibits included herewith reflect the true financial condition of the town, together with the results of operations for the periods under review.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD G. FOWLER, Director
Division of Municipal Accounting
State Tax Commission

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September 4, 1947

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

The following exhibits are considered by the Board of Selectmen to be essential to the understanding of the audit of the State Tax Commission. The entire report may be examined by any interested person at the office of the Town Clerk or at the Public Library.

EXHIBIT A

Comparative Balance Sheets—Dec. 31, 1944 and Dec. 31, 1945

Assets	Dec. 31, 1944	Dec. 31, 1945
Cash on Hand	\$7,819.95	\$8,424.20
Accounts Receivable:		
George R. Sampson, Care		
of Mrs. Alma Russell	\$473.75	\$475.75
Town Road Aid		207.53
	473.75	683.28
Uncollected Taxes:		
Levy of 1945		\$1,470.71
Levy of 1944	\$1,973.39	16.00
Levy of 1943	23.60	
	1,996.99	1,486.71
Unredeemed Taxes:		
Levy of 1944		\$185.42
Levy of 1943	\$177.66	172.95
	177.66	358.37
Total Assets	\$10,468.35	\$10,952.56
Liabilities		
Accounts Owed by the Town:		
Due to School District:		
Balance of Appropriation	\$6,056.50	\$5,967.75
Dog Licenses	217.25	200.93
	\$6,273.85	\$6,168.68
Due State — Special Polls:		
Collected	\$2.00	\$6.00
Uncollected	133.00	138.00
	135.00	144.00
Bills Payable — Withholding Tax		15.00
Unexpended Appropriation — Curtis Road		500.00
Unexpended Balance in State Treasury —		
Town Road Aid		207.53
Total Liabilities	\$6,408.85	\$7,035.21
Surplus	4,059.50	3,917.35
Total Liabilities & Surplus	\$10,468.35	\$10,952.56

EXHIBIT L

Comparative Balance Sheets December 31, 1945 and December 31, 1946

Assets	Dec. 31, 1945	Dec. 31, 1946
Cash on Hand	\$8,424.20	\$5,730.81
Accounts Receivable:		
George R. Sampson, Care of Mrs. Alma Russell	\$475.75	
Town Road Aid	207.53	
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	683.28	
Uncollected Taxes:		
Levy of 1946		\$1,472.87
Levy of 1945	\$1,470.71	
Levy of 1944	16.00	
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	1,486.71	1,472.87
Unredeemed Taxes:		
Levy of 1945		\$4.03
Levy of 1944	\$185.42	163.82
Levy of 1943	172.95	172.95
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	358.37	340.80
Total Assets	<hr/>	<hr/>
	\$10,952.56	\$7,544.48
Liabilities		
Accounts Owed by the Town:		
Due to School District:		
Balance of Appropriation	\$5,967.75	\$4,730.50
Dog Licenses	200.93	191.43
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	\$6,168.68	\$4,921.93
Due State — Special Polls:		
Collected	\$6.00	\$27.00
Uncollected	138.00	
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	144.00	27.00
Bills Payable — Withholding Tax	15.00	

Unexpended Appropriations:		
Curtis Road	500.00	
Special Road Signs		33.23
Special Town Dump.		102.08
Unexpended Balance in State		
Treasury—Town Road Aid	207.53	
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	\$7,035.21	\$5,084.24
Net Surplus	3,917.35	2,460.24
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Total Liabilities & Surplus	\$10,952.56	\$7,544.48

EXHIBIT Q

TOWN OF HAMPTON FALLS Summary of Receipts and Expenditures and Proof of Treasurer's Balance Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1946

Cash on Hand—December 31, 1945		\$8,424.20	
Receipts During Year		29,891.78	
			\$38,315.98
Expenditures During Year		32,585.17	
Cash on Hand—December 31, 1946			\$5,730.81
Proof of Treasurer's Balance			
Balance in the Exeter Banking Company—As Per Statement Dated December 31, 1946		\$4,876.13	
Add: Deposits—January 2, 1947	\$2,588.28		
January 4, 1947	1,769.40		
			4,357.68
			\$9,233.81
Less: (*) Outstanding Checks:		3,503.00	
Reconciled Bank Balance—December 31, 1946			\$5,730.81
(*) Outstanding Checks:			
No. 4859	\$18.00	No. 4885	\$4.00
4862	4.00	4886	3.00
4873	4.00	4887	3.00
4874	4.38	4888	4.00
4875	2.50	4889	19.25
4876	25.00	4890	140.67
4877	20.21	4891	1.50
4878	55.00	4892	122.90
4879	125.00	4893	233.35
4880	97.13	4894	141.45
4881	58.04	4895	84.35
4882	52.00	4896	100.00
4883	66.77	4897	2,000.00
4884	101.50	4898	12.00
			\$3,503.00

EXHIBIT V

TOWN OF HAMPTON FALLS Summary of Special Poll Taxes Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1946

Debits	Levy of 1944	Levy of 1945
Taxes Committed to Collector	\$897.00	\$930.00
Added Taxes	48.00	6.00
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	\$945.00	\$936.00
 Credits		
Remittances to Treasurer	\$882.00	\$903.00
Abated	63.00	33.00
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	\$945.00	\$936.00
 Debits		
Due State:		
Polls Collected	\$882.00	\$903.00
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	\$882.00	\$903.00
 Credits		
Remittances to State Treasurer	\$882.00	\$876.00
Balance Due State		27.00
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	\$882.00	\$903.00

EXHIBIT Z

TOWN OF HAMPTON FALLS

Summary of Trust Fund Principal, Income and Investments Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1946

Name of Fund	Principal	Balance of Income	Inc. During Year	Expended During Year	Bal. of Income	Total Investments
Mary Pickering Harris	\$200.00	\$88.04	\$5.78	\$5.00	\$88.82	\$288.82
Gertrude Sanborn	100.00	13.41	1.12	4.00	10.53	110.53
Oliver Fleming	2,500.00		50.25	50.25		2,500.00
Oliver Fleming	2,500.00	25.50	50.75	50.75	25.50	2,525.50
Mary L. Wakeman	150.00		3.01	3.01		150.00
William K. Cochrane	200.00	10.13	4.22	5.00	9.35	209.35
Miriam G. Andrews	500.00	33.12	13.26	10.00	36.38	536.38
	\$6,150.00	\$170.20	\$128.39	\$128.01	\$170.58	\$6,320.58

INVESTMENTS

Portsmouth Trust & Guarantee Company	\$2,938.82
First National Bank, Portsmouth	110.53
Exeter Banking Company	2,771.23
United States Saving Bonds	500.00
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	\$6,320.58

TABLE III

TOWN OF HAMPTON FALLS

Statement of Indebtedness, Valuation and Taxes
Ten Year Period

Fiscal Year Ended:	Surplus	Valuation	Taxes		Uncollected Taxes	Unredeemed Taxes	Local Tax		Average	
			Assessed				R. P. \$100	State Tax	R. P. \$100	
January 31, 1937	\$2,446.84	\$736,673.00	\$19,056.83		\$4,554.86	\$506.33	\$2.50		\$3.41	
January 31, 1938	1,213.03	763,738.00	18,439.00		4,297.82	297.12	2.33		3.43	
January 31, 1939	1,571.33	767,019.00	17,467.00		4,031.74	74.56	2.20		3.45	
January 31, 1940	892.79	772,437.00	17,272.64		2,822.58	194.63	2.16		3.41	
January 31, 1941	1,627.43	803,278.00	20,011.33		3,783.68	179.65	2.42		3.35	
January 31, 1942	1,531.69	809,593.00	18,497.06		2,509.66	67.28	2.50		3.23	
January 31, 1943	2,199.09	817,798.00	19,564.91		2,412.74	216.70	2.32		3.03	
December 31, 1944	4,083.50	835,382.00	19,775.87		1,996.99	177.66	2.19		3.97	
December 31, 1945	3,917.35	834,649.00	17,405.43		1,486.71	358.37	1.90		3.26	
December 31, 1946	2,460.24	859,463.00	22,076.58		1,472.87	349.80	2.50		3.47	

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HAMPTON FALLS, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1947

Date 1947	Name of Child (if any)	Male	Female	Liv. or Still	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Dec. 2	Stephen A. Leonard	M		L	John Leonard, Jr.	Marjorie F. Fogg	Mendon, Mass.	Waltham, Mass.
Dec. 12	Clayton W. Fagan	M		L	Clayton E. Fagan	Almeda M. Chase	Haverhill, Mass.	Groveland, Mass.
Dec. 29	Jeffrey C. Withe	M		L	Stanley Withe, Jr.	Harriet A. Hull	Wilmington, Del.	Bristol, Conn.,
Jan. 22	Robert Kiely	M		L	Robert T. Kiely	Frances M. Kiley	Lynn, Mass.	Melrose, Mass.
Feb. 12	Nancy J. Smart		F	L	Verle E. Smart	Helen A. Laconis	Exeter, N. H.	Exeter, N. H.
Feb. 26	Diane F. Silvia		F	L	John F. Silvia	Jane I. Fogg	Nhbypt., Mass.	Hampton Falls
Mar. 21	Robert W. Durkee	M		L	Arthur W. Durkee	Thelma J. Perfect	Lynn, Mass.	Middleton, Mass.
Feb. 25	Lee D. Bolton		F	L	Richard J. Bolton	Elimore L. Brown	Haverhill, Mass.	Smithtown, N. H.
May 4	Marilyn L. Elton		F	L	James W. Elton	Alice C. Sadler	Rosiland, B. C.	Salt Lake, Utah
July 6	Judith E. McEachern		F	L	J. McEachern, Jr.	Stella L. Shaw	Portsmouth, N. H.	Hampton, N. H.
July 19	Philip E. Dail	M		L	Rossie M. Dail	Dorothy M. Janvrin	Chowan Co., N. C.	Portsmouth, N. H.
July 25	Maribeth Merrill		F	L	R. P. Merrill, Jr.	Mary A. Elkins	Nhbypt., Mass.	Portsmouth, N. H.
Sept. 13	Gary B. La Guardia	M		L	Lionel La Guardia	Mary F. Janvrin	New York, N. Y.	Boston, Mass.
June 4	Gayle D. Milbury		F	L	Rupert A. Milbury	Elinor F. Hayes	New Brunswick	Lynn, Mass.
Nov. 9	Thomas C. Cram	M		L	John G. Cram	Hope M. Le Clair	Hampton Falls	Claremont, N. H.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN TOWN OF HAMPTON FALLS, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1947

Date 1947	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Age	Place of Birth of Each	Names of Parents	Name, Residence and Official Station of Persons by Whom Married.
Jan. 3	Chester P. Hendrickson Barbara L. Baxter	22 25	Gloucester, Mass. Boston, Mass.	John N. Hendrickson Mary C. Hall Robert C. Baxter Catherine S. Sterle	James H. Brown Hampton Falls, N. H. Justice of the Peace
Jan. 7	Jackson G. Houser Josephine E. Festa	35 25	Alsea, Oregon East Boston, Mass.	Neatle M. Chandler Joseph Festa Florence E. Saccs David A. Houde	Lincoln A. Smith Hampton, N. H. Clergyman
Jan. 12	Romeo A. Houde Roberta M. Kearns	34 25	Hartford, Conn. Hartford, Conn.	Marie Dion Patrick J. Kearns Anna V. Smith	James H. Brown Hampton Falls, N. H. Justice of the Peace
Feb. 8	Harold F. Lord, Jr. Hazel E. Rines	23 19	Ipswich, Mass. Amesbury, Mass.	Harold F. Lord Dorothy Weir Albert W. Rines Ethel Lancaster Hans H. Mark	Lincoln A. Smith Hampton, N. H. Clergyman
Feb. 8	Fred A. Mark Catherine M. Woodward	69 72	Rockingham, Vt. Yankton, S. Dakota	Ann J. Shattuck John W. Bramble Wealthy M. Shepard Patrick J. McDonough	Milton Baker Dover, N. H. Clergyman
April 23	James H. McDonough Alice L. Burke	39 33	Newton, Mass. West Newton, Mass.	Ellen Holland Edward J. Burke Helen V. Sheridan Fred W. Eastman	James H. Brown Hampton Falls, N. H. Justice of the Peace
June 20	Frederick C. Eastman Audrey N. Batchelder	19 18	Exeter, N. H. Exeter, N. H.	Maribel Jackson John S. Batchelder Eleanor M. Riley	Oliver C. Northcott Kensington, N. H. Clergyman

July	6	Joseph Zervo Anna C. Barboza	25 21	Boston, Mass. Boston, Mass.	John Zervo Filomena Vineta Alfred R. Barboza Anna Leftorionsck Nicholas E. Kenney Alice K. McLaughlin John G. McGonigle Robina G. Chase John M. Cockerham Ina H. McFarland Ross Vona Dorothea Brocuty John Dunbar Jane Urquhart Charles Foss Eliza Foss Robert M. Pender Eleanor M. Morrill Edward J. Valley Mary B. Roberge Frank Tirro Anna Tampana William Reid Anna Delancy Donald G. Mackay	James H. Brown Hampton Falls, N. H. Justice of the Peace
July	13	Nicholas W. Kenney Louise F. McGonigle	23 18	Boston, Mass. Chelsea, Mass.		James H. Brown Hampton Falls, N. H. Justice of the Peace
Sept.	14	Melvin N. Cockerham Dorothy R. Vona	32 18	Waxahackie, Texas Belmont, Mass.		James H. Brown Hampton Falls, N. H. Justice of the Peace Elizabeth C. Brown Chelmsford, Mass. Clergywoman Permit from Sec. of State
Sept.	20	Perley E. Dunbar Nettie S. Fewkes	64 72	Machias, Maine East Machias, Me.		James H. Brown Hampton Falls, N. H. Justice of the Peace
Oct.	23	Robert M. Pender, Jr. Josephine B. Valley	20 18	Amesbury, Mass. Amesbury, Mass.		James H. Brown Hampton Falls, N. H. Justice of the Peace
Oct.	23	Angelo L. Tirro Lillian G. Ried	30 21	Revere, Mass. Chelsea, Mass.		James H. Brown Hampton Falls, N. H. Justice of the Peace
Nov.	4	Donald A. Mackay Katherine V. MacDonald	52 38	Passaic, New Jersey Bridgeport, Conn.		Rev. Everett R. Scruton Hampton Falls, N. H. Clergyman
Nov.	8	George H. McGrath Thresa L. Surretie	23 19	Quincy, Mass. Stoneham, Mass.	Edith M. Vandenburg	James H. Brown Hampton Falls, N. H. Justice of the Peace

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN TOWN OF HAMPTON FALLS, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1947

Date 1947	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	AGE	Place of Birth of Each	Names of Parents	Name, Residence and Official Station of Persons by Whom Married.
Nov. 22	Kenneth L. Pelton Ruth E. Lord	32 22	Langdon, N. H. Newbury, Mass.	Frank N. Pelton Frances E. Robinson Harold F. Lord Dorothy L. Wier Charles I. Akerman Mary M. McConnell Werner A. Werho Hilja K. Rajasals	Rev. Everett R. Scruton Hampton Falls, N. H. Clergyman
Nov. 26	Oliver H. Akerman Ranghild V. Werho	39 32	Hampton Falls, N. H. Peabody, Mass.		Rev. Everett R. Scruton Hampton Falls, N. H. Clergyman

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HAMPTON FALLS, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1947

Date 1947	Name and Surname of the Deceased	AGE			Place of Birth	Male	Female	Sin., Mar., Wid.	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
		Years	Mos.	Days						
Mar. 7	Alfred E. Beevers	72	0	24	Lawrence, Mass	M	W	M	Allen Beevers	Jane McLachlin
Mar. 28	Roscoe F. Swain	66	2	11	South Hampton, N. H.	M	W	M	Frank Swain	Judith S. Fitts
May 1	Marcia M. Kimball	87	9	2	Litchfield, N. H.	F	W	W	Fernando Parker	Josephine Griffin
June 14	Margaret E. Campbell	61	7	7	East Boston, Mass.	F	W	S	Thomas Campbell	Katherine Kane
June 30	Maunice W. Perkins	43	4	25	Hampton Falls	M	W	M	Stephen Perkins	Minnie Weare
July 5	James E. Richardson	78	10	10	Rowley, Mass.	M	W	W	E. H. Richardson	Ruth A. Sears
July 8	William E. Cram	76	0	11	Hampton Falls	M	W	M	William A. Cram	Sarah E. Blake
July 26	Maribeth Merrill	0	0	1	Exeter, N. H.	F	W	S	R. P. Merrill, Jr.	Mary A. Elkins
Aug. 23	Carrie A. Durgin	67	1	22	Portsmouth, N. H.	F	W	M	George T. Burke	Esther Clark
Oct. 7	Isabel H. Elkins	83	10	4	Hampton Falls	F	W	W	George C. Brown	Laura French
Nov. 11	Sylvia Edelstein	22	9	13	Newburyport, Mass.	F	W	S	A. Edelstein	Anna Friedman
Nov. 15	Edith L. Allen	87	6	18	Natick, Mass.	F	W	W	Fred Chamberlain	Unknown
Nov. 25	Georgia G. Brown	73	10	6	Hillsboro, N. B.	F	W	M	William Milton	Marcha Shaw
Dec. 7	Lona M. Porter	39	2	9	Walden, Vermont	F	W	M	Harry M. Perkins	Alice M. Wilcox
Dec. 1	Mary S. Fowler	85	9	7	Seabrook, N. H.	F	W	W	Caleb Eaton	Louisa Marshall

